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## TRANSMITTAL OF PATENT APPLICATION, BASED UPON CONVERSION FROM A PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(1) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.78(a)(3) and § 1.78(a)(4) is the *non-provisional* patent application, based upon an earlier-filed provisional application, of:

Inventor(s):	Ian James Clubb; Philip Geoffrey Claridge; Thomas Joseph Shusta; Jeffrey M. Miller
Title:	<b>A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REVENUE AND AUTHORIZATION MANAGEMENT</b>
Drawings:	80 Sheets
Assignment	Convergys Information Management Group, Inc. See separate transmittal letter
Papers Enclosed:	Specification, 22 Claims and Abstract (Total of 117 Pages); Drawings - 80 Sheets; Cover Sheet/Certificate of Express Mail; return postcard
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Filing Fee	\$978.00
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CLAIMS AS FILED						
	No. Filed		No. Extra	Rate		Fee
Basic Fee						770.00
Total Claims	22	-	20	2	x 18.00	36.00
Independent Claims	5	-	3	2	x 86.00	172.00
Multiple Claims					290.00	0.00
				Total Filing Fee		978.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$978.00</b>
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**Earlier-filed PROVISIONAL APPLICATION:** Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This is a non-provisional application based upon an earlier filed provisional application, Serial No. 60/417,706 filed October 10, 2002."

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